



# Randolph County Indiana

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

|   | 2017        | % change since 2012 |
|---|-------------|---------------------|
| Number of farms                                     | 754         | -2                  |
| Land in farms (acres)                               | 241,758     | (Z)                 |
| Average size of farm (acres)                        | 321         | +3                  |
| <b>Total (\$)</b>                                   |             |                     |
| Market value of products sold                       | 213,107,000 | -6                  |
| Government payments                                 | 5,720,000   | +23                 |
| Farm-related income                                 | 8,342,000   | -13                 |
| Total farm production expenses                      | 176,316,000 | -8                  |
| Net cash farm income                                | 50,854,000  | +3                  |
| <b>Per farm average (\$)</b>                        |             |                     |
| Market value of products sold                       | 282,636     | -4                  |
| Government payments<br>(average per farm receiving) | 12,797      | +42                 |
| Farm-related income                                 | 24,041      | -20                 |
| Total farm production expenses                      | 233,840     | -6                  |
| Net cash farm income                                | 67,446      | +6                  |

**2** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

|                                  |    |
|----------------------------------|----|
| Crops                            | 55 |
| Livestock, poultry, and products | 45 |

### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>a</sup>

|             |    |
|-------------|----|
| Cropland    | 93 |
| Pastureland | 1  |
| Woodland    | 3  |
| Other       | 2  |

**Acres irrigated: 180**

(Z)% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

|                |    |
|----------------|----|
| No till        | 47 |
| Reduced till   | 23 |
| Intensive till | 21 |
| Cover crop     | 7  |

## Farms by Value of Sales

|                      | Number | Percent of Total <sup>a</sup> |
|----------------------|--------|-------------------------------|
| Less than \$2,500    | 177    | 23                            |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999   | 47     | 6                             |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999   | 60     | 8                             |
| \$10,000 to \$24,999 | 87     | 12                            |
| \$25,000 to \$49,999 | 84     | 11                            |
| \$50,000 to \$99,999 | 67     | 9                             |
| \$100,000 or more    | 232    | 31                            |

## Farms by Size

|                  | Number | Percent of Total <sup>a</sup> |
|------------------|--------|-------------------------------|
| 1 to 9 acres     | 102    | 14                            |
| 10 to 49 acres   | 223    | 30                            |
| 50 to 179 acres  | 191    | 25                            |
| 180 to 499 acres | 108    | 14                            |
| 500 to 999 acres | 59     | 8                             |
| 1,000 + acres    | 71     | 9                             |

**Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

|   | Sales<br>(\$1,000) | Rank<br>in<br>State <sup>b</sup> | Counties<br>Producing<br>Item | Rank<br>in<br>U.S. <sup>b</sup> | Counties<br>Producing<br>Item |
|---|--------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>213,107</b>     | <b>12</b>                        | <b>92</b>                     | <b>477</b>                      | <b>3,077</b>                  |
| <b>Crops</b>  | <b>118,119</b>     | <b>18</b>                        | <b>92</b>                     | <b>444</b>                      | <b>3,073</b>                  |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas                     | 114,787            | 16                               | 92                            | 308                             | 2,916                         |
| Tobacco   | -                  | -                                | 13                            | -                               | 323                           |
| Cotton and cottonseed                                     | -                  | -                                | -                             | -                               | 647                           |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes              | 2,059              | 15                               | 90                            | 558                             | 2,821                         |
| Fruits, tree nuts, berries                                | -                  | -                                | 89                            | -                               | 2,748                         |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod                    | (D)                | 36                               | 87                            | (D)                             | 2,601                         |
| Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation<br>woody crops | -                  | -                                | 56                            | -                               | 1,384                         |
| Other crops and hay                                       | (D)                | 55                               | 92                            | (D)                             | 3,040                         |
| <b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>                   | <b>94,988</b>      | <b>13</b>                        | <b>92</b>                     | <b>541</b>                      | <b>3,073</b>                  |
| Poultry and eggs  | 11,392             | 21                               | 92                            | 534                             | 3,007                         |
| Cattle and calves   | 5,020              | 33                               | 92                            | 1,685                           | 3,055                         |
| Milk from cows  | 4,888              | 31                               | 77                            | 606                             | 1,892                         |
| Hogs and pigs   | 73,427             | 4                                | 92                            | 83                              | 2,856                         |
| Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk                          | (D)                | (D)                              | 92                            | (D)                             | 2,984                         |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys                    | 116                | 32                               | 91                            | 1,345                           | 2,970                         |
| Aquaculture   | -                  | -                                | 18                            | -                               | 1,251                         |
| Other animals and animal products                         | (D)                | 22                               | 90                            | (D)                             | 2,878                         |

**Total Producers <sup>c</sup>**

**1,176**

**Sex**

Male 830  
Female 346

**Age**

<35 146  
35 – 64 648  
65 and older 382

**Race**

American Indian/Alaska Native 2  
Asian -  
Black or African American -  
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander -  
White 1,157  
More than one race 17

**Other characteristics**

Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin 26  
With military service 75  
New and beginning farmers 308

**Percent of farms that:**

Have internet access **76**

Farm organically **1**

Sell directly to consumers **3**

Hire farm labor **29**

Are family farms **98**

**Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup>**

Soybeans for beans 114,239  
Corn for grain 97,621  
Forage (hay/haylage), all 4,991  
Wheat for grain, all 4,078  
Corn for silage or greenchop 830

**Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)**

Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)  
Cattle and calves 7,719  
Goats 188  
Hogs and pigs 208,178  
Horses and ponies 536  
Layers 748  
Pullets 44  
Sheep and lambs 340  
Turkeys 115,208

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

<sup>a</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>b</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>c</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

<sup>d</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>e</sup> Position below the line does not indicate rank.

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.